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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Serial No. : 10/619,814 Confirmation No. 7651
Applicants : Yong Qin Chen, et al.
Filed : July 15, 2003
Title : COMPENSATING FOR CHROMATIC
DISPERSION IN OPTICAL FIBERS
TC/A.U. : 2874
Examiner : Sung H. Pak

Docket No. : 2219
Customer No.: 23320

MAIL STOP AMENDMENT
Commissioner for Patents
Post Office Box 1450
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a full and complete response to an Office Action dated March 8, 2005.

Small entity status under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.9 and 1.27 has been established for this application by a previously submitted verified statement.

It appears that this response to the Office Action dated March 8, 2005, is being timely filed. However, if this response is deemed not to be timely filed, then pursuant to the relevant provision of 37 C.F.R. § 1.136, the Applicants hereby conditionally petitions for an extension of time sufficient to make the response timely.

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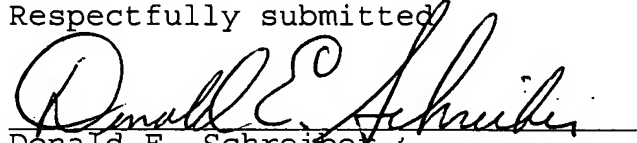
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Response Dated June 8, 2005
Reply to Office Action dated March 8, 2005

If any additional fee is due, the Commissioner for Patents is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency or credit any surplus in the enclosed fee to Deposit Account No. 19-0735. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is enclosed herewith.

Respectfully submitted


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